

# Programs Using MUAs/MUPs

Type of Designation	Program	Responsible Agency	Program Manager
<b>MUA</b>	<b>Rural Health Clinic Certification (P.L. 95-210)</b>	<b>Centers for Medicare/ Medicaid Services</b>	<b>Steven Chickering</b> <b>(415) 744-3810</b> <b>schickering@cms.hhh.gov</b>
<b>MUA or MUP</b>	<b>Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)/FQHC Look-Alike</b>	<b>HRSA, Bureau of Primary Health Care, Division of Health Center Development</b>	<b>Bette Darling</b> <b>(301) 594-4342</b> <b>bdarling@hrsa.gov</b>
<b>MUA or MUP</b>	<b>New Start/Expansion</b>	<b>HRSA, Bureau of Primary Health Care, Division of Health Center Development</b>	<b>Tonya Bowers (301)</b> <b>594-4300</b> <b>tbowers@hrsa.gov</b>

## Authorizing Statutes:

- 1) Medically Underserved Area (MUA), U.S. Public Health Service Act, Section 1302(7). Federal Register, Vol. 41, No. 201, Notices, October 15, 1976, Pages 45718-45723.
- 2) Medically Underserved Population (MUP), U.S. Health Services Amendment Act of 1986, (P.L. 99-280).